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THE [S.S.] GLENBEG [STRANDED.].

Aground Off Danish 1 Coast.

" (Reuter's Service.

Copenhagen, March 25. The British steamer Glenbeg, proceeding from Dairen and London with a cargo of soya beans, is aground near Korsor. A salvage steamer is in attendance and the Glenbeg is being lightened. She is leaking slightly in the port bilge. The weather is favourable.

[On enquiry from the local agents of the Glen Line, Messrs. Jardine: Matheson and Co., we learn that the Glenber had finished the discharge of her London cargo and was proceeding to Copenhagen to deliver other cargo. The stranding, we are informed, in no way affects local shippers.

THE NAVAL PACT.

Suggestions for a Revision.

London, March 25.

The position created by the Washington naval treaty is still in and Whampos Dock Company, on exchange. Can you explain this information leaks out and is of some doubt. According to a Washington message, some American Ltd. held at the town offices of why the nett profit for last year used by certain parties and their the words "Down with the naval experts consider that the relative naval strength of Britain, the Company to-day at moon. the United States and Japan should be in the ratio of 6, 5, 4, instead Mr. D. G. M. Bernard presided 000, for the previous year? To while the bulk of the shareholders of 5, 5, 3, as originally agreed, and if so the United States must modern. and there were also present Sir what do you attribute the falling are kept in the dark and suffer first time since Dr. Sun's return to ise their capital ships so as to restore the approximate standing to Paul Chater, Sir Robert Ho Tung, off ? Is it in the shipping of in consequently." which they are entitled. This estimate, however, is based on in. Messrs. H. P. White, Allan the labour? complete information, and possibly the State Department will request Cameron, T. G. Weall (directors), The Chairman: The falling off object in doing it. It is not in pearance when he acted as the subscribing Powers to furnish details of their present and future R. M. Dyer (chief manager), E. L. is in decreased work. may all programmes. It is understood that a decision in the matter Hosie (secretary), A.H.M. da Silva, Mr. Sayce: How does this is awaiting submission to the President, with whom rests the quest G. Lammert, E. Abraham, J. F. \$494,000 make profit? Is it in- any information as regards the considerable time and engaged daily by General Shum Hungtion of what should be done with the six and a half million dollars Grose, P. M. N. da dilva, P. Tester, cluding profit in exchange in all prospects of the Company for the the attention of the meeting in a ying, the Kwangsi commander, appropriated by Congress to modernise the American warships.

Meanwhile messages from Paris report that while there is no sai, Chu Wun-man, Chan Wan, you gain on exchange? Meanwhite messages from raris report that want there is no raris report that want there is no raris report that was a record month action of the gatherings is unknown.

"question of France's failing to ratify the Washington treaty, well- Chau Siu-ki, H. W. Bird, T. E. The Chairman:—I think, Sir, and February also was very good? ment, which he said operated of the gatherings is unknown. informed French opinion solidly backs the suggestion of M. Guervier, Pearce, M. A. Razack, Y. Tsutsumi in my speech I said that the the reporter of the foreign affairs committee of the Chamber, that and Dr. Donelan. the Government should incorporate in the Bill ratifying the treaty certain reservations, notably an article stating that the treaty shall expire, as far as France is concerned, in 1935.

CHINA'S FINANCIAL PLIGHT.

Bondholders Growing More Anxious.

London, March 25. The disturbing news with regard to the condition of Chinese rinances has increased the alarm of holders of certain Chinese loans. especially the Marconi's and Vickers' issues both of which have fallen to sixty. Marconi coupons due in August, 1921, and sub- and repairing the world over hope that there is no prospect of Aberdeen Dock. sequently, have not been paid, while the Vickers coupon due on Octo-during that period. Similar Com such enormous expenditure conber 1st. last is in arrear. It is proposed to hold a meeting of holders of the Marconi's issue to consider steps to obtain security from the been fortunate in being able assurance on this point? Chinese Government.

The Observer's financial editor, commenting on this matter, points out that the revision of the Chinese finances is being taken in to compete with present condi-sound and to be in a position the value of the land and buildincreased maritime customs revenue, to be arranged at a special tariff conference three months after ratification of the Washington and establishment charges and, do the work mechanically, quicktreaty. He says it seems that holders of the stocks can only await at the same time, reduce our lyand to the satisfaction of its cus- any division such as you suggest taxation, has ample resources to provide all her external debt obligations, if matters can only be administered by an international committee, similarly to the administration of the customs revenues.

THE WHITE SLAVE TRAFFIC.

Geneva, March 25.

The League of Nations committee on the suppression of the white . slave traffic has passed a resolution hoping that, pending abolition of the system of official regulation, the employment of foreign women in licensed houses should be forbidden, also recommending the countries in which official regulation is practised to report on working and results of the system, and that women should be employed to supervise prostitution.

OBITUARY.

Delhi, March 25. The death has occurred of Senator Samuel D. Nicholson.

MILITARY DESERTERS FROM HONGKONG.

Fourteen Men Stow Away on the "Empress of

France." The Manila Daily Bulletin of

March 21st. states :--Eleven British Tommies station-

arrived here yesterday afternoon. the prices of various commodities seventy acres. wool, long trousered suit of the been decided to give protection will note we have again allowed ever in capitalising.

Empress left Hongkong. Three others also stowed away but were found and returned to land on the pilot boat. The others appeared a few hours later.

States military regulations do not that the manifest is a true de- any loss if exchange were to rise, reserves entirely in cash. If there extremely dangerous. Continued was passed. British authorities.

The Tommies were seemingly enjoying their trip to Manila tions are protesting against these ents ten per cent, of their annual Mr. Sayce :- I am not suggest which can be paid. When that warrante can be obtained at the demand to-day-was 2s. 3.13/16d. They were singing and denoing regulations, on the ground that salaries, which I trust you will ing it; I am saying this is not limit has been reached the em. Company's office, Queen's Buildwith the crew while the boat was they unduly interfere with consider the results of the year's really a reserve at all. The player looks round to find ingression morning, on docking yesterday afternoon. traffic.

SEARCH OF SHIPS.

Opposition by Canton Shippers.

decided to make a strong protest

As to the nature of these suitable gatehouse, time office, serve? must supply a manifest of the installation of all new plant has the cash to fall back on.

smuggling of arms.

KOWLOON DOCK.

Chairman Bombarded With Questions.

Mr. Bird Anticipates Aerial affairs which at present is highly it as a reserve. Travel.

WARNING TO CHINESE LABOUR.

A bombardment of questions from Mr. Kelly Sayce, a suggestion by Mr. Bird that the Company should prepare for the day to ask. when aerial travel becomes popular in this part of the world,

Chairman's Speech.

The Chairman said: Gentle- Mr. Sayce: How much di men.—The directors' report and you gain on exchange? which prevailed in shipbuilding 4,145,000, for the two years. things at times rather difficult. This work has been undertaken However, for the period under re- with that object in view. fairly well employed, and repairs cash account stand; have you got it is absurd to write off every man may do in a day, give him time office and gatehouse at Cos- balance sheet to show this, and Dock will be a thoroughly up-to- this respect. date, self-contained, dockyard and | The Chairman :- It all comes The levelling of the hill at the the money in London.

claration, and also to prevent the these funds have now been trans- is, will you let me know what combinations of workmen are apt | The Chairman:-That is all the ferred into local currency. The authority there is for suggesting to have a boomerang effect and business, gentlemen. Thank you The Chinese shipping organisa proposed bonus to the staff repressit?

working justifies.

desirable-consistent with the have always maintained. With not make any money and the adoption of the reports and account and after they have been

Mr. Sayce Opens Fire.

and a stern warning to Chinese to ask a few questions if you will year, or, better still, let us know labour, were features of the an-allow me. I think you made re- the estimated profits from month nual meeting of the Hongkong ference to the question of profit to month? It is well known that indicated to passers-by the nature was only \$494,000, against \$1,170. friends for their own benefit, Peking Government!" and another

Kelly Sayce, Ng Sui-san, Ng Iu- or part of it, and how much did present year? It is rumoured violent speech denouncing the in the Arsenal, being attended by

in exchange.

statement of accounts having The Chairman:-We gained in been in your possession for the exchange \$795,000. The balance past ten days, I will with your of \$808,000 was dockyard work. permission take them as read. I Mr. Sayce :- I see that you trust you will consider the results have made additions to the plant, for the year 1922 satisfactory, buildings, etc., to the extent of 14 particularly if you bear in mind lakhs for 1922, and in the previous the abnormal state of depression, year 271/2 lakhs, a total of over

get some reduction in The Chairman:—The policy of ly from plant and machinery, as labour prices to enable them the Dock is to make its position at present we don't know what is tions. In Hongkong, we have to cater for all work that ing, and the value of machinery had so far to face increased labour it is liable to get and to and plant? charges to suit the requirements tomers. All the directors, I can would be of any assistance to of our clients, a combination of assure you, will do all they can to shareholders. I do not see any circumstances which makes put the Dock into such a position.

view our shipbuilding yards were | Mr. Sayce :- How does your year include new general offices, Bank? There is nothing in the molitan Dock, and the installation | think that in future it should be of electrically-driven dock pumps plainly shown. I am rather surat that establishment. When this prised that the auditors have passis completed, the Cosmopolitan ed the accounts as they stand in

will prove a most valuable and under the "heading of sundry economically run addition to our creditors. We had at that time main establishment at Kowloon. a large sterling account in At Kowloon Dockyard, the new London and a debit balance here, offices and drawing offices are and the sam total-the difference Mr. Bird's Warning to Labour. nearly complete and will be ready between debtors and creditorsfor occupation in a month or two. amounted to \$2 000 000. The These are handsome steel-framed debit balance in the Bank here man and gentlemen.-In view of

money has really been spent. some mechanical process to application.

With regard to the future, our The Chairman :- It is spent yards are at present fairly well and invested in the development employed, both in shipbuilding of the Company. I do not follow and repairs. I can assure you why it should be capitalised. It that we are sparing no efforts to would not do anybody any good. arrive at the most economical | There is no object in capitalising production possible, a state of it and it is much better to keep

Mr. Sayce: -- But suppose in a quality of workmanship which we year or two the Company does these few remarks, I beg to propose cannot assure us dividends, we

seconded, shall be glad to answer is so governed by the Articles. to the best of my ability any question that shareholders may desire Mr. Kelly Sayce: -I would like estimated profits are for the half at Canton.

> The Chairman :- I can see no accordance with precedent.

balance of working account in- have done about three months of early reunification of the coun- and General Shumare at variance. the full year, and it is absolutely try. He asked for a vote A report states that one of the impossible to give you any idea of censure against the Peking General's secretaries has been of what the regalt of the year will President and Government, and detained by Dr. Sun, whilst work out

> Mr. Sayce:-Is there any intention of disposing of the Aberdeen property, as the Dock there North. This was agreed to. does not seem to be much used. and must have appreciated very meeting to tappoint representa-

[intention of disposing of the man, the appointess under the

Mr. Sayce :- Can you arrange panies in other countries have tinuing. Will you give me some in future to have the Land and Civil Governor of Kwang-been fortunate in being able assurance on this point?

Building Account shown separate-tung, to "ignore" the appoint-| Building Account shown separate-

> reason why we should show the amounts differently. The practice do away with the workmen. has the approval of the auditors. It is a fallacy to suppose

> the land and building is appre- | wages, that thereby you create a ciating considerably in value all labourers' paradise, because the

off land at all.

ouildings.

much obliged.

Mr. H. W. Bird :- Mr. Chair-

buildings and will make a suit- at the end of the year was \$18,000 the world-wide depression in the to the provision of a bonus for able head office for this Company, and against that is to be offset shipbuilding and repairing industry during the past year I conback has proceeded up to about " Mr Sayce:-I see you have \$4,- | sider that the directors and the contract time and should be com- 000,000, at credit of reserve fund, staff on the Company are to be pleted in about two years. We but evidently this money does not congratulated on the report which Shipping interests in Canton, have just recently acquired addi-exist and has apparently been is presented to us to-day the report and accounts. states a correspondent, have tional land in the village at expended in new plant etc. Don't (Applause.) As the demand for The resolution was then put to Hunghom, which will give us the you think it will be better to seaborne ships seems to be at the meeting and carried unagainst the traffic regulations necessary space for our proposed capitalise this reserve fund, see- such a low ebb and we read in the animously. issued by the commander of the new iron and steel foundry and ing that all this money has been Home papers that all countries also room for the erection of a spent and it is not really a re- are turning their attention sky,wards, if. ed with His Majesty's army at regulations, it appears that they and watchmen's quarters. The The Chairman;—I do not agree will not have ships to travel on election of Directors. Mr. T. E. examinations will be held during. clients Hongkong, had a nice trip over on have been issued on the ground area of our main, property at with you at all. Money has been the sea we ought to try and Pearce proposed the re-election the week commencing June 11th. the Empress of France, which that traffic difficulties are causing Kowloon then will be about spent in developing the Company induce them to build ships to of Sir Robert Ho Tung and Mr. Page 4. and it is invested in the Com- travel in the air, and I think wr D. G. M. Bernard. The 11, dressed in the heavy to rise, and it has therefore Turning to the accounts, you pany. There is no object what should be ready to meet the demand when it comes along. But English soldier in cold climes to ships, launches and other very liberally for depreciation. Mr. Sayce:—But we have not the day may not be far: distant were stowaways when the craft... These vessels are This represents twenty per cent. got the money really. Why don't when we shall step on board an requested to apply for signal flags off floating plant, and ten per you call it a Capital Account in airship in Shatin Valley and and certificates at an office which cent. off the book value of the stead of calling it a Reserve shout, "Next Stop Bagdad!" Our has been established in Canton remainder of our plant and Fund? You have not got the Chairman has made mention of for this purpose, where also they buildings. The cost of the reserve really. You have not got the increased labour charges during the year and I am afraid firmed. goods aboard. These rules hav- been entirely written off. Includ- The Chairman :- It is the in- that obtains with all other Now they'll have to take a trip ing been complied with, the ed in the balance of Working Ac- variable practice of limited com- trades in the Colony in the the re-election of Mr. H. Percy Found! One Peak Tramway back to Hongkong—and then it vessels most permit a search to count is a large sum representing panies to build up reserves, and last year or so. I would Smith and Mr. A.R. Lowe as punch ticket.—Page 4. understood they cannot be landed forts or when meeting a gunboat. funds in London. In order to es-done, I do not think there is thinks there is the time to take Wathere as prisoners. The United The object, it is stated, is to see tablish this gain and to prevent any precedent for keeping the demands for increased wages is seconded and the resolution Page 6.

CANTON LABOUR MEETING.

Peking Mandate Denounced.

protest against the Presidential Mandate from Peking giving the chief administrative cannot fall back on this reserve. to the Kwangsi and Yunnanese and military posts in Kwai gtung The Chairman:-No: unless it military chiefs now occupying Kwangtung, was voiced at a Mr. Sayce:--Will the directors meeting of representatives of arrange in future when declaring Labour Guilds and other organi. an interim dividend to let the sations held yesterday at the shareholders know what the Educational Department rooms

Outside the building two scrolls the gathering. One bore had "Ignore the Mandate!" For the Hongkong, Mr. Tse Ying-pak, the Socialist M.P., made a public ap- Sun and Shum at Variance. Chairman of this labour meeting. Mr. Sayce:-Can you give me He occupied the platform for a us that secret meetings are held that January was a record month action of the Northern Govern- his chief supporters. The nature The Chairman :-- Up to date we against the prospects of an It would appear that Dr. Sun suggested that this should be fur- another story in circulation is ther extended in a denunciatory that about a dozen of Sun's telegram to be dispatched up officers have been arrested on a

The Chairman:—There is no ming yadge that the chairman in To-day a Peking mandate to the respective positions of Commander-in-Chief ments and to "request" to be President of Republic of China. In this latter connection Mr. Tse Yingpak urged the creation of a large army of "citizen soldiers" to back trade representatives appears on up Dr. Sun. ...

Mr. Sayce:-Don't you think that if you restrict the work a year 10 per cent. of land when more holidays and increase his workers in other industries under The Chairman: -I should if it similar management produce so were done, but we write nothing little that the price of commodities is divided in conse-Mr. Sayce: We write of plant. | quence and therefore the pur-The Chairman:-Plant and chase of the same exhausts the wage. It is satisfactory to note Mr. Sayce: Thank you, I am that you have made ample provision for depreciation in plant and building and also that your transactions in exchange turned out so satisfactorily. I am sure the staff. It is well known that the Pock Company's work is second to none (Applause) With these few remarks, Sir, I

Other Business.

Mr. Razack seconded and the motion was unanimously carried. On the motion of Mr. Chau-Sip-ki, seconded by Mr. Ezra trict.—Page 4. Abraham, the appointment of Messrs: T.G. Weall and Allan

*************** FOOTBALL COMPETITION.

The Hongkong Challenge Shield finals (Senior and Junior) are to be played on Saturday next. Our usual weekly prize of \$50 will go to the competitor who succeeds in correctly forecasting the goal scores in these two matches. Coupon appears

on Page 4. Result of last week's Competition will be announced to-morrow.

CANTON OUTLOOK.

ACanton correspondent informs

train in the North River district It was further decided by the by General Shum's forces.

New Advertisements:

There is a special attraction at the Hongkong Hotel Roof Garden to-night.-Page 4. Lane, Crawford and Co., are showing a large selection of

washing frocks.—Page 6. A notice of interest to overseas

Page 4. "The Sheik's Wife"—a spectacular attraction, is being shown at the Coronet Theatre,-Pages 4 and 12.

Consignees are notified of the arrival of the s.s. "President Mackinley. "-Page 10. A teakwood steam launch is

for sale by private treaty.—Page St. Stephen's annual sports will be held on the 29th inst.—Page 4. Messrs. H. Ruttonjee and Sons are the sole agents for Peter

whisky.—

At the World Theatre the current feature is "One Wild Week."—Page 12.

Dawson's famous

LISTEN.

Advertising to bring in custhat the shareholders will agree tomers should be as much a matter of routine as unlocking the store

There are only three more days bave much pleasure in seconding during which advantage may be taken of Sincere's sale .- Page 3. The offices and stations of the Chinese Maritime Customs will. be closed to public business on the 30th. and 31st. inst.—Page 4.

The University of Hongkong The next business was the re- matriculation and senior local

"The Egg Crate Wallop? is the feature at the Star Theaire. A large and airy room is to let

in the heart of the central dis-For particulars of forthcoming auction sales refer to Page 4.

Madeleine Pearson has received the latest in ladies' mackintoshes,

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COMPANY MEETING.

Hongkong Hide And Leather Co., Ld.

An extraordinary general meet ing of the Hongkong Hide Leather Company, Limited, was held in the Company's office, Stephen Building, Des Vœux Road Central, on Saturday, when the report and suggestions of the Investigating Committee, appointed on November 29th last, were considered. Support ing the Chairman, were the E Father Robert, Mr. A. G. Coppin. Mr. D. H. Blake (the Company's

solicitor), Mr. W. A. Dowley and Mr. Leung Yan-po. Other share holders present were Messrs, A. D. Humphreys, Frank S. Cooke, A. Stevenson, W. MacFarlane, L. Dunbar, E. Popperill, J. H. Seth, A. G. S. Morton, H. WHumphreys, Sorby, W. Armstrong, J. Maclacoan

and R. F. Raven. The Chairman explained that the meeting was called for the purpose of receiving the report of the Investigation Committee, which he asked Mr. Coppin to read.

The report, which was signed by Mr. A. G. Coppin, Chairman of the Investigating Committee was as un-

The Report.

"Gentlemen, -- You will remember that at an Extenordinary General Meeting of the Shareholders in this Company held at Messrs, W. G. Humphreys and Company's Offices on 20th November, 1922, it was iesolved that an Investigating Committee be formed to look into the position of the Company's affairs and thereafter to make a report and recommendations to Shareholders. This condition being brought about by the fact that the Company in its first year of working had made a loss of about \$91,000.

The following were then elected to form an Investigating Committee: --Hon, Mr. C. Montague Ede., Rev. Father Robert, Mr. A. G. Coppin, Mr Leung Yan Po and Mr. Phang

Amongst the questions the Meigbers of the Investigating Committee had to put to themselves were the following: ---

1.- Is it possible to profitably con. duct a Tannery business in Hong-

2.—Are Tanneries being success. fally worked in other places under conditions which apply to Hongkong in respect of climate, labour and

other difficulties! 2.-As investigations show it is possible to profitably work Tannery: businesss here; and that in scon tiguous places such industries are being conducted with considerable profit, how is it the Hongkong Hidand Leather Co., Ltd. is working at nels a large loss, and-what steps can be taken to remedy the Com pany's position!

In the course of their investigations the Committee had much assistance from a firm of Tanners in l'anton, which is working at a good profit, and which, at the Investigata ing Committee's request drew up a Questionaire dealing with the whole matter. Some of the salient pointed brought out, (based on replies made by the Company's present Manage ment to the Questionaire) compel the Investigating Committee : form the following conclusions an offer the resulting recommendations

Conclusions.

Trading Expenses have been between \$50,000 and \$51,000 per annum, immediately advisable. These can be cut down to \$25,000]

An Unexpected Caller.

Upper and Sole Leather per annum of 52 weeks, whereas the Trading Account shows output valued at

8123,271,21 in 40 weeks working of the first year of your Company, Even on 40 weeks working the output should have been over \$709,000 in. atead of \$100,271. (c) The investigating Committee,

capable of producing \$223,167.54 in

is of the opinion that the seat of the trouble lies in the fact that working has been intermittent and at no period in full swing, and that administration expenses have not been warranted by output. The Committee considers the remedy lies in economy in administration and better Tactory and sales manage.

(d) The Committee is of opinion that on an assumed output of 3500 pieces of Upper Leather per fort. night (a modest computation) the Factory can make a nett profit per annum of \$76,000; also that 0,000; Hides may be converted into Sole Leather per month at a cost which should show an additional profit of over \$80,000 per annum. These quantities are taken from replies to the Questionaire.

(e) The Canton Firm of Tanners having visited and thoroughly inspected your Tannery have expressed surprise that with such a good equipment a loss has been made.

Recommendations.

At the Investigating Committee's suggestion the Canton Firm of Tanners express willingness to undertake the Management of your Company, contingent upon sufficient working capital being raised and providing they can be stakeholders in the concern to the extent of 10,000 shares which they will take up. They require Managing Fees of \$1,000 per month to cover cost of staff, office rent and lighting whilst sales amount to \$500,000 per annum. This is to be increased proportionately so that, for example, it would double the present allowance if the sales reach \$1,000,000. As it will, be apparent that the Management and Tanning staff will be encouraged to work harder if they know a bonus on nett profits will be paid to ahem. the Directors suggest that the amount of such be left to the discretion of the Directors, it being understood that any bonus is only to be spaid fout of next annual profits and not to exceed 15%. They would not be content to take on the Management for \$1,000 per month only, but stipu. late that they must be allowed to purchase 10,000 shares also, with an option to purchase within 12 months. about 5,000/6,000 shares in addition. Their appointment as Managers to be permanent so long as they hold 10,000 shares and manage the business profitably and faithfully. They to be allowed to nominate one Member to the Board of Directors. The Investigating Committee recommend acceptance of this offer, but at this juncture wish to put the

following points before you:-1. The Company is indebted to the Hongkong and Shanghai Bank, ing Corporation to the extent of about \$150,000 secured by Mortgage on your Property, viz.: Land. Buildings and Stock. This indebt edness the Bank will issist upon beng reduced to \$100,000.

2. From the nett profit of \$76,000 be offered as follows:on Upper Leather would fall to be deducted 7% Interest per "annum, say \$7,000, and bonus of 15% on balance of nett profit to Managers' and Tanners \$19,350, a total of \$17, 350, leaving available \$58,659.00 to (a) Administration, Tannery and pay off indebtedness to the Bank and provide a dividend if decined

3. It will be noticed that the Inwithout loss of production or effici. vestigating Committee take figures of profits on Upper Leather only. (b) Reply to No. 20 in the Ques. There is still the profit of say \$50, tionaire shows the Pactory to be 000 on Sole Leather to be consider-

is content to momentarily omit this | &t . in order to present a very conserva- To the New live estimate of your Company's possibilities. It will be seen that \$5,650 per annum available for pay. ing off indebtedness and/or divi-

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1. There then remains the mater of raising Additional Working Capital, in which connection careful attention should be given to the

dends, can be earned on our side of

your business only.

following remarks, viz.:-The Company's present Share position is :--

Shares paid for in full at \$10 Shares subscribed for on. which \$5 only has been

Shares unsold

The Investigating Committee sug gest that the 51,657 unsold Shares

at present held at \$4 per share.

(Example: Every holder of 160) shares for which he has paid 310 each (equals (\$1,000 in all) shall be entitled to buy 75 shares at 84 each (equal \$300 in all). Thus he would have 175 shares costing in all 81,000 an average of say 87.45 per share).

would be raised as follows:--

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which 85 only has been paid

4.787 at \$1 per share) (The \$4 shares to rank pari passu those paid for at \$10).

Particulars respecting making both issues of same value to form the subject of further discussion with shareholders.

If some of the present Sharehol. ---- ders (after a prescribed period) do Total \$100,000 not signify their intention of taking to: up their additional proportion of Shares as indicated above, such,

Shares shall be offered elsewhere, o that sufficient working Capital may be raised for the continuance of th To offer to existing Shareholders business as a going concern, and to three Shares for every four shares pay off part of the Company's in debtedness to the Bank.

75. The alternative appears

your Investigating Committee to be to wind up the Company, in which that several prominent and influenevent it is estimated the amount tial gentlemen are satisfied as to the available for distribution, after li- good possibilities of your Company, quidation of all outstanding liabili and have expressed willingness to ties, will not exceed \$2 per share for back their opinion by taking up which you have paid \$10. Share much more than their proportion of On this basis additional capital holders therefore, have to decide the \$1 shares." whether they will take up 3 more

ed, but the Investigating Committee 18,202 at 3 for each 1 held=36,150 at shares at \$1 each for every 4 shares \$144,600. for which they have paid \$10 each,

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or let the Company go into liquida-Managers 10,000 at \$1=8 40,000, tion, with a possibility of ultimately _ ___ getting say \$2 for every \$10 so far \$181,600. | invested.

6. The investigating Committee's recommendation to Shareholders is that each Shareholder should take up his additional allotment, as under the suggested altered Management your Company's success would appear to be assured.

7. In the meantime Mr. W. M. Humphreys, Managing Director, has as "regards dividends, etc., with placed his resignation as Manager of the Hongkong Hide and Leather Company, Limited, in the bands of

the Investigating Committee, All Correspondence is too lengthy to be put into this Report in full detail, but such is of course available to any Shareholder requiring further particulars on application

Mr. A. G. Coppin, ta, Des Youx Road Central, Hongkong.

Naturally also the Company's solicitors will be consulted and directed to take such steps as are necessary for rehabilitating the Company in a manner conforming to the requirement of the law of the Colony."

In conclusion it may be mentioned

DOINGS OF THE DUFFS

MRS DUFF ? I WAS JUST I'M GLAD YOU

DID MRS TINEY

HOW DID

YOU COME

OUT? DID

YES, I KNICKED HIM FORA) TEN SPOT-THE LITTLE WART IS GETTING SO WELL, I GUESS TIGHT THAT IT'S LIKE PULLING TEETH TO WELL AT ANY GET HIM TO LOSEN UP RATE A LITTLE -

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SO FAR- YVE ONLY HAD HER ABOUT A WEEK-HOW LONG DO YOU GENERALLY KEEP AMAID, MRS. TINEY? position: It would be noticed that

on sole leather, the reason being in

Committee had taken up. Mr. Cop.

Questions.

Chinese pay for these 10,000 shares

Mr. Coppin: Their first proposi-

tion was that they should be allowed

to take them up at the end of one

year. We think this is too long and

we hope the time will be reduced

Mr. Henry Humphreys: What

Mr. Coppin: There are about

110,000 square feet and it is estim

lated af about \$2.70 per square foot

to pay that price. On a forced

Mr. Cooker May I ask whether

Mr. Coppin: The building stands

in the account at \$127,000. It is ex-

that figure unless it was bought for

employment for similar purposes

· Question of Shares.

tramely unlikely it would realise

sist of building and land?

foot - \$207,000.

value do you put on the property

Mr. Dunbar: When will the

pin then invited questions.

they are to take up?

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COMPANY MEETING.

(Continued from Page 2.)

Dismissal of Tanners. Mr. Coppin said he should like to make some remarks upon the nonsuccess of the Company last year, more especially in order to clear Messrs, W. G. Humphries and W. Humphries. He wanted to remind shareholders that last year in addition to the business of the Colony and practically throughout world, being, extremely had, they suffered from a very prolonged to three months or less. strike which certainly did not help them in their business. They had had had considerable troub! which culminated in the dismissal it stands? of one lot of tanners in March and the dismissal of their successors in August. Their work was very bad, much of it being worthless, and with the building. Whether it dends. there was considerable loss of raw would realise that on a forced sale material. Explaining the difference it is difficult to say. If anyone was in the input and output, Mr. Coppin prepared to buy it as a going consaid it was apparent to all that they cern probably he would be willing | could not put a hide into pickle and | bring it out the following day as - sale you might get \$2 or \$1 75 a foot. finished product. It had to "stew" in the juice" so to speak in the lease of upper leather for about 25 days and in the case of sole leather the only assets of the Company confor about three months. It meant that only at the end of those periods would they be producing full output. With regard to the possibilities of the tannery Mr. Coppin mentioned that at the present time Messrs. You Yue tong were building a tan The stock is valued at \$20,000. Whenery alongside their premises and ther it would realise that I do not they evidently had great faith in the know. It is a very moot point,

business, Mr. Coppin said that many industries had suffered a loss for their inception and it was only . Mr. Seth asked whether it was by experience gained through the proposed to cancel the ansold \$10 mistakes of the past that companies shares and to issue new \$1 shares! vesterday [had at last achieved success. There] Mr. Coppie, replied that the were several such Scompanies which seleme for raising new capital had he had no doubt they had in mind. | not yet been properly formulated Useful Experience at Dear Cost. but the old shares would be sub

taught what should have been avoid

have had an unsuccessful time.

A Conservative Position.

Mr. Coppin mentioned that later

meeting, said:

Rev. Father Robert, who was then divided. asked by Mr. Coppin to address the Mr. Henry Humphreys having re marked that the question had no With reference to the report made been answered.

by your Unvestigating Committee Mr. D. H. Blake (the Company) will you allow me to tell you that solicitor said that under the Articles | The following were not played .had your Investigating Committee of Association power was given to Newcastle United v Bulton Wanpealized that the maintenance of the sub-divide the shares. Some scheme derers, Chelsea v West Bromwich-Hongkong Hide and Leather Conjugated be adopted whereby new Micon, Sheffield United v Everton. Limited, could not give remuners [shares of \$1 each would be issued. tive results, they would not have leaving the present shares to be Aberdeen nestrated in recommending to the listiled above. The new spaces would, Niedrie spareholders to wind up the Come presumably, have new rights so as Avr Un 1 Hamilton A.... miny. The unsuccessful working or the give them an equal call in regard Celtic. last year is not at all a practical de la dividends. The scheme, however, l'lundee L. Rangers 2]

I run with good results a leather far bour. tory. We admit the bad result re) Mr. Humphreys: The 'question gistered so far, and we gave you was, until unissued shares of \$10 our opinion as to its causes and tach be cancelled!

showed the trade basis on which the Mr. Blake: Yes, they will be can enterprise could pay in future. We leaded and the Articles amended so at least, bought a useful experience has to provide for the issue of \$4 at a very dear cost, having been shares instead of \$10 shares.

Suitable Guarantees.

ed. But many faults have their remedy and we do believe that if the Mr. Seth expressed the hope that shareholders agree to the changes the Directors would get suitable Army beat the British Army in the now proposed by the Investigating guarantees from the new general Rugger match at Twickenham by 15 Committee we shall retain in Hong, inanagers before handing over conkong an industry which will thrive trol of the Company to them. He safely in this Colony. We do witness understood that it was hoped they that the Leather industry is a pay would pay for their shares within ing enterprise in Hankow, Shanghai three months. He thought it very and in Indo China also, and there necessary to obtain suitable guarfore with proper organization there antees before placing the Company is no reason why it should not give in the hands of strangers.

equally good results in Hongkong. Mr. Coppin: Most certainly, that During the war, "in Indo China a will be done.

Mr. Raven asked how it was proleather factory at Hanoi paid as much as 200 per cent, dividend. We posed to reduce the expenses from do not expect so much here, but 1 850,000 to \$25,000. mention it to show you that 'we

Mr. Coppin replied that under the ought not to despair because we present management, the general mrnager received \$1,000 per month, And I am glad to say that the the Secretary \$600 per month and views of the future welfare of the and the trading expenses at \$15,- Surrey shore, 019.66. The new managers were The tide was flowing with ding expenses were included in the strokes in the first minute.

The Indo-China Concern.

Investigating Committee had been was under Chinese management? very conservative in their views as Rev. Father Robert replied that to the possibilities of the Company, it had always been under French He had himself been employed in management. It paid a high rate going into various figures and had of dividend during the war and been particularly careful to write up although it was not doing so well Oxford was 11/4 lengths ahead. the costs of raw material and work- now it was still a very prosperous ing expenses, as suggested by the concern. They obtained their skins proposed new managers, and to from Hunan and Indo-China write down the expectations of the understood that the skins obtained pluckily to the end. sales and prices in order to place in Hongkong were as good as any before them a very, conservative that could be purchased.

Mr. Pepperell: Thank you 'I he had entirely ignored any profit think that is satisfactory. Mr. Cooks enquired whether the

order to emphasise the conservative new management would be in Canposition which the Investigating ton or Hongkong? Mr. Coppin: Entirely in Hong-

kong, with a preponderance foreigners-white people-on t Board of Directorate.

New Management.

Mr. Coppin then proposed and Mr. Dunbar seconded the following resolution which was unanimously carried: "That the Directors and Investigating Committee be authorised to negotiate with a Canton Firm of tanners for the management of the business and propare a scheme for the provision of new

capital for the Company." supposing you sold it at auction as Mr. Copping: That is all the business, gentlemen. I hope at a later I meeting we shall have something to discuss about allocation of divi-

> On the motion of Mr. Seth. [3 seconded by Mr. Cooke, the Investigating Committee were thanked for their services.

Mr. Coppin replied, "I can only express our appreciation of your 1 The estimated value is \$2.70 a square appreciation.

HOME FOOTBALL.

Association Cup Semifinals.

London, March 24.-In the Cup ! esemi-finals, West Ham beat Derby 1 by five goals to two at Chelsea. Bolton Wanderers beat Sheffield United by one goal to nil at Manchester. Reuter.

League Matches.

Londony March 25.—The following League matches were played

First Division.

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	Aston Villa	:	Birmingham .
1 1	Notts. F	I	Blackburn R.
ļ	Burnley	ij.	Huddersfield,
	Middlesboro		
112	Liverpool	:2	Manchester U.
	Preston N. E.	2	Sunderland
ີ 5	Totterbam H	;	Stoke
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Scottish League.

1 Third Lanurk. 2 Hibernians ... Impossibility to haid not yet been definitely worked Falkirk 6 Clyde....... 0 Hearts 1 Allos 1 Motherwell 2 Raith R 0 Partick T., ... I Kilmarnock ...

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RUGBY FOOTBALL.

Win for French Army.

London, March 24.-The French points to six. Brilliant weather prevailed, and there was an attendance of 5,000, including the Prince of Wales .- Reuter.

THE BOAT RACE.

Oxford Win Fine Tussle.

London, March 24.-In the annual Varsity boat race, Oxford won by nearly a length.

The official distance was given as three quarters of a length. The time was 20 mins. 50 secs.

In ideal conditions of sunshine, new Managers, who are willing to there were \$400 for office expenses with a slight breeze and smooth take charge of the Company's af. The administration of the tannery water, and before gigantic crowds, fairs, have the same optimistic stood in the accounts at \$35,653.84 Oxford won the toss and chose the

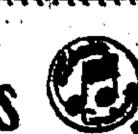
> agreeable, to take \$1,000 to cover moderate strength. An excellent everything. The tannery and tra- start was made, both rowing 38

on he intended to propose that the working costs coming in the report. Oxford gained a few feet in the first half minute, but Cambridge was level at the end of the minute. Mr. Pepperill remarked that the Oxford, rowing in neat style, reachthe management of the business and Rev. Father Robert had been good ed the mile post a quarter of a prepare a scheme for the provision enough to give them particulars of length ahead, the time being 4 of new capital for the Company. He a similar concern run in Indo-China mins. 17 secs. The distance was was sorry the report had been in during the war. He would like to increased to half a length at Hamshareholders' hands for such a short lank it Father Robert had any in- mer-smith, 7 mins. 43 secs. Keeptime. They would observe, when formation as to how the concern ing a good length shead, Oxford they had fully digested it, that the was proceeding now and whether it passed Chiswick step in 12 mins. 29 secs., leading by two lengths.

Cambridge was now rowing well and, pressing Oxford hard, reduced the lead to a length at Devonshire Meadows. At Barnes' Bridge, which was reached in 16 mins. 20 secs. The Cambridge crew made a fine

The official time was 20 mins, 54 sachusetts) and the Berkshire secs .- Reuter.

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County Mills at Pittsfield.-Reuter.

INTER-VARSITY SPORT

Oxford Beat Cambridge,

London, March 24.—In the Intera Varsity sports at Queen's Club. Oxford beat Cambridge, winning eleven events to four .- Reuter

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Registrar. Hongkong, 26th March 1923.

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Director of Finance. Macau, 10th. March 1923.

NOTICE. BRITISH LEGION.

Hongkong & China Branch)

HE SE OND ANNUAL be held in the City Hall, Hong- from the 13th to the 27th March kong, on Tuesday 27th. March, 1923, both days inclusive. 1923, at 5.30 p.m., for the purpose of receiving the Report and Accounts for the year 1922, and of electing officers and other members of the committee for the ensuing year, and of appointing honorary auditors, and of dealing with any other business. By order, of the General

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> By order, A.H. ABBAS, Secretary.

Hongkong, 17th. March, 1923

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London, March 24.-It is understood that important extensions to the Port of London have been decided upon, for which the Treasury has agreed to make a loan of £5,000,000 at a low rate of interest.

The improvement, which will give work to thousands of unemployed, will include a new large drydock. taking the largest steamers using India Dock .- Reuter.

EMPIRE-GROWN SUGAR-

tion representing the Empire's sugar industry urged upon the Chancellor of the Exchequer the necessity for stabilising the existing amount, as distinct from the rate, of preference to Empiregrown sugar, for ten years.-Keuter.

DEVELOPMENT OF KOREA.

New York, March 24. - The Evening Mail reports that a group of banks, headed by the National City Bank, has arranged to float next week a loan of \$20,000,000 for the Oriental Development Company of Tokio, intended for the development of Korea.-Reuter.

THE TWENTY ONE DEMANDS.

Shanghai, March 25.-A mass meeting of Chinese merchants and students in Shanghai yesterday passed a resolution urging an anti-Japanese boycott in order to evangelist. force Japan to restore Port Arthur are being held to day. Chinese firms are bellagged with inscriptions calling for the abrogation of the Twenty-One Demands.—Reuter.

FAR EASTERN BANK CASE.

Shanghai, March 25,-The Mixed Court has dismissed, the charge against Vicount di Villa, formerly joint manager of the Far Eastern Bank, of misappropriation of \$50,evidence adduced did not warrant dealing with them. One mistake for the employment of Biblewomen further hearing of the charge .-Reuter.

JAPANESE DIET.

Tokio, March 25.-The Diet has adjourned sine die. On Monday night the Upper House passed and may easily go off on wrong H. Mackenzie, who has kindly colthe Boxer Indemnity Bill and lines, while the growth and up- lected in Cheung Chow, should be also a bill permitting the pari- building of Christian character and mentioned. mutuel system of betting on race- a Christian church are long procourses.-Reuter

ITALIAN AMBASSADOR.

Tokyo... Mar. 23.-Count Mar. tino, the Italian Ambassador to Japan, was received in audience by the Prince Regent, when he pre sented his credentials .- Paily

EVANGELISATION SOCIETY.

Work in New Territories.

We have received a copy of the report of the Hongkong and New Territories' Evangelisation Society, which was started in 1904 to work in Hongkong's hinterland.

As the result of the Society's activities, there are now more or less organised churches at Tsun Wan, Castle Peak, Yun Long, Tai the port; also a landing stage at Po Lam Tsun, Cheung Chow, Tai Steamers calling at Schattik Tilbury, extensions to up-river O and Sha-lo-wan, where regular docks, and a new lock at the West services are held, and there is a baptised membership of approximately 500. Work is also being carried on-less regularly at San Tin, Sha Tin, Shoung Shui and Lo-wu.

Schools under the Society's control or in buildings occupied by it are established at Tsun Wan, Tai London, March 24.-A deputa- Pc, Lam Tsun, Cheung Chow, Tai O. Shallo-wan and Yun Long. These are attended by approximately 250 scholars. Thus the coming generation is being looked after with a view to future potentialities. The lines of the Society's work

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other influential men.

6. Holding lantern service from appointment to the work time to time in the centres the Society began from These are always largely beginning of February, attended.

and Dalny to China. Big parades the work of the Society underwent arning the truth. Truly the several changes during the year. harvest is plenteous and the labour-Mr. Li Shu Kwai was appointed as ers are few. We trust that our superintending evangelist, and he brothers and sisters will do their has done his best to visit the var- duty and put on their strength, so ious stations and help the work in that the people of the New Terrieach place. He has endeavoured tories may learn to recognise Jesus to grasp the problems that have as their Lord, and to live to the arisen in the stations and assist in praise and glory of God." their solution.

Need for Guidance.

In communities such as those found in the villages of the New Territories the Christians are constantly faced with many problems, periodical meetings of representa-(00). The Court held that the and they need wise guidance in tives decided to try to raise funds may upset a whole community or whole church, and the presence of and work from house to house such a man as Mr. Li is of great amongst the women. This is

> tages and are not very enlightened. Christians to such work. Many of them are easily influenced | Thanks are due to the collectors. by the occurrences of every day life, amongst whom the name of Mr. A. cesses. It is very wonderful that Commander J. P. Ratcliff have with the material, at our disposal given very valuable assistance in here should be such good results many parts of the territories

we see to-day. valuable work.

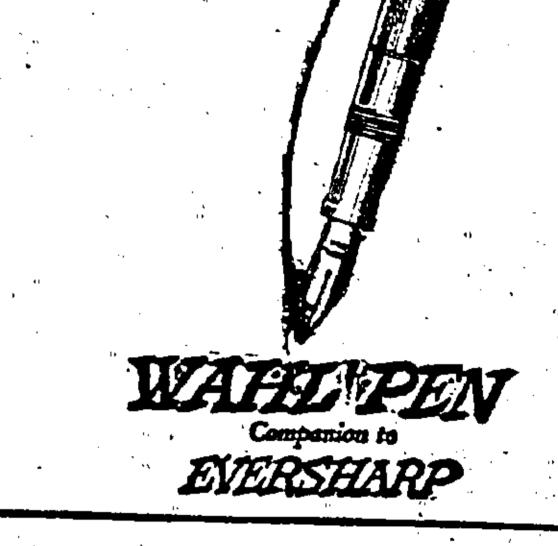
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Mr. Li Shu-kwai has written a short report of the work as it ap-Lending religious and other pears to him and the report this lowing the recommendation of the books to school-masters and year may well follow the lines of his report. He says as I visited the various stations The staff approved at present I found that the work was in most consists of one Superintending places in a very satisfactory condi-Missionary, one Chinese Superin- tion. There were in number of Australian States, as they had no tending Evangelist, four Preachers, schools and great numbers of choice but to play League Rugger four Biblewomen, one travelling people were hearing the gospel in or nothing. They find that they many villages and hamlets, The report for 1922 states that there were not a few who were

A Laudable Movement. Details are given of various cen-

tres and the report adds: "

in the New Territories which have to travel throughout the Territory value to the Society and the work. | very laudable and encouraging The churches are bodies of men movement and shows the importand women who have few advan, lance attached by the Chinese

Messrs. E. R. Dovey and Pay lantern lectures which have been Mr. Kong Shau-sam, the travel- well attended. Messrs. Kniley ing evangelist has also done much Tregillus and Lau Chi have kindly placed their motor cars at the dis-Besides these two workers, other posal of the Missionary on many helpers. help to the work of our Society in this and other ways. Our thanks

REMOVED.

London, 24th. February: Folsub-committee of inquiry, the "My Rugby Union Committee has removed the suspensions of the Queensland Rhodes scholars, Lawton, Burton and Greenning. The sub-committee find that, although they have contravened Rule 2, their position is quite different from players in other. did not receive money and have not broken any rule against professionalism except that mentioned, and therefore they consider their suspension has been sufficient punishment.

MONEYLENDER'S 520 . PER CENT.

A woman moneylender, Mrs. Alice Tobin, of Deptford, was fined £10 at Greenwich Police Court for carrying on business without a certificate.

It was said that she had been During the past year the churches lending money at a rate of interest of 2s. in the £ per week-or 520 per cent.

She said she could neither read nor write, but had got another woman to help her and they had shared the profits.

The magistrate described it as "lwicked usury."

THE PIPES OF WAR. Irishmen "and Scotsmen are always arguing, and one particu-

lar argument raged extremely: fiercely. It concerned the origin of the bagpipes—each claiming that his country had produced the instrument. But the last word went to the

Irishman, who said:

invented the poipes, and gave them to the Scots-and the Scots haven't seen the joke yet!

"Well, the truth is, the Irish

are due to all these and other The accounts show contributions

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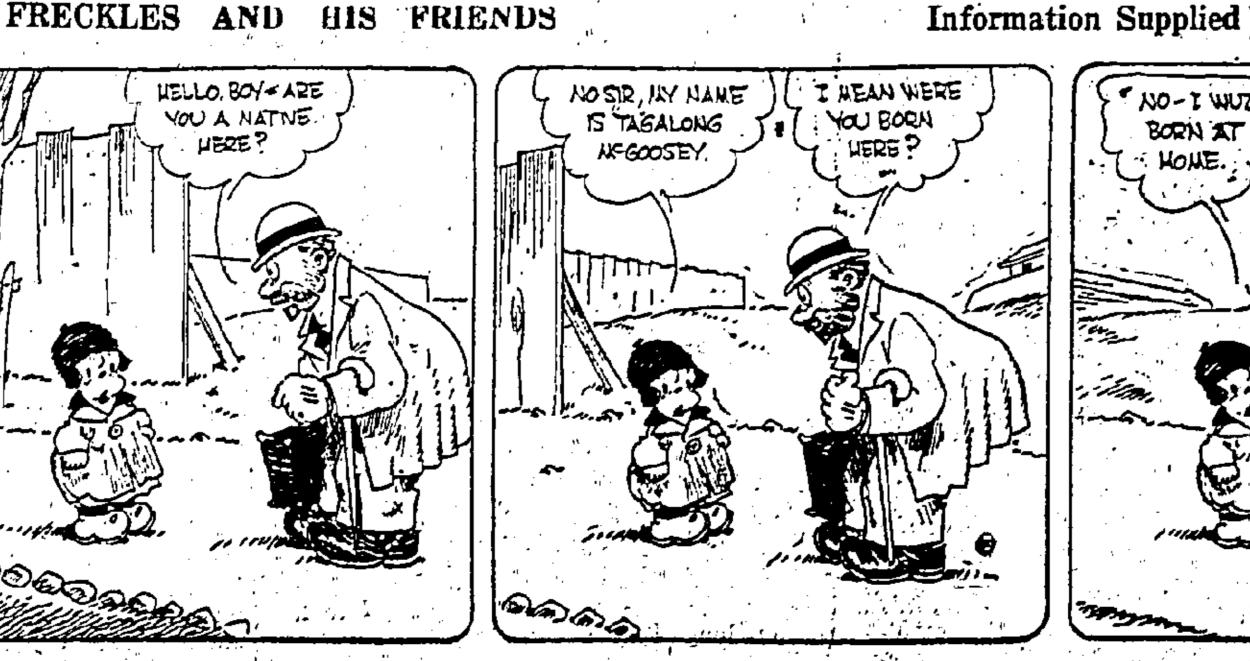
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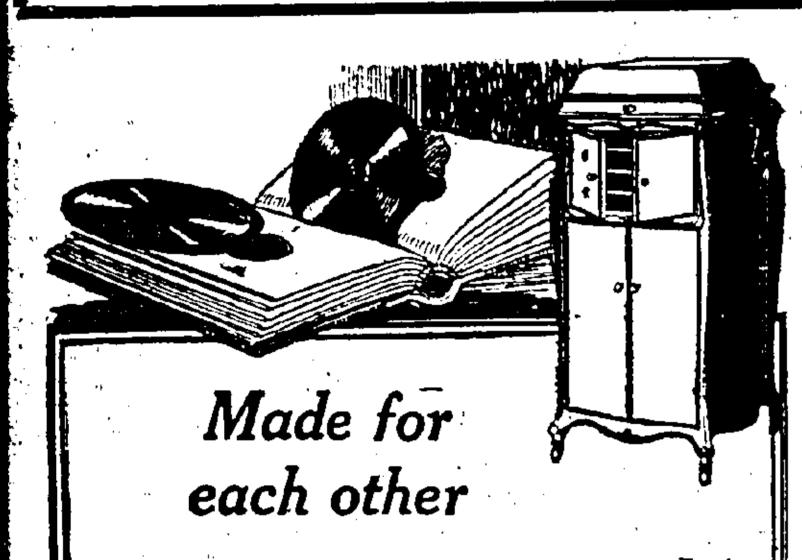
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DEATHS.

VAN RONKEL. At the French Hospital on March 25th., 1923, Samuel van Ronket, Captain of the s.s. "Arakan." Aged 48 years WHALEY.—On "March 21. pneumonia.

The Telegraph.

HONGKONG, 26th March, 1923.

YOURSELF.

The other day we had an article in this column on the type of aptly term "Yes-men." To-day we are penning a few thoughts about a totally different typethe man who is so self-denying that he is not honest to himself. We do not imagine that there are very many of this order in Hongkong, but, all the same, it will do no harm to put forward a few thoughts which may have value to those who note them We were reading recently of Professor Rontgen, discoverer of the X-ray, whose death has just been announced, and it was s.ated that he spent his last years in poverty. He refused to patent his discovery, it is said, bicause he believed it so valuable that he should give it to the world without making any profit from it himself. He lived on a small" pension worth about a hundred Hongkong dollars friend. If the facts are as stated, he was a martyr, a victim of his ideals. He was honest with the world; but was "he really honest with himself?

always being told of the virtues of honesty, but, for the most with others-little is said about honesty to ourselves. It is. course, dishonest to do less or to give less than we are paid for. making due allowance for the profit system which is part and parcel of our present system of economics. But it is equally disis worth-again making necessary allowance for the margin of profit to the employer. It is also dishonest, to ourselves, to do or give materially more than we are caid for. Stripped of humbug, there is 'nothing admirable in a

his life away at \$300 a month a job that should pay him \$500. That is an unfair arrangement, and anything unfair is a form of dishonesty. We all owe it to our future selves to get a just return on to-day's services—our future selves depend on our present selves not to cheat us of our rights. Professor Rontgen, one of the world's greatest benefactors, cheated his future self. The idea we have been putting forward is worth turning over it, we would leave this other final thought—that it is as dishonest to attempt to get more than we are entitled to, as it is to take less.

Protection of Australia.

The Australian continent, with its vast area, sparsely populated, and its position, with a very long. undefended coastline, and potential wealth, has for years afforded a defence problem that can only be termed an anxious one. Australia is practically unable to defend herself, and it will be a long time before the country's population will be large enough to provide the personnel for even an affective home-defence army. Situated as it is, the Commonwealth must ever be dependent on naval protection. As long as the lines of communication are held by a British or allied navy, the country will be safe from serious attack. During the war, the British Navy was the defender of all our outlying colonies and dependencies, with due assistance policy of retrenchment followed hospital. the Armistice. The id-a of a Colonial. Navy was practically abandoned. With the policy of causing our Government considerable anxiety. ... The position on a chance of peace, or at least people whom the Americans of war, would be our only menace War. from a naval point of view. But those at the head of affairs in of the issues involved, and we learn now of an intention by the Federal Government to include votes in the estimates " for a more offective navy and thed evelopment of the military and air forces. That the Commonwealth authorities fully realise the importance of sea-power to the country was shown by their reception of the Singapore naval base project. is now obvious that Australia is not as apathetic in the matter of defence as was supposed to be the case. This is good news.

U.S. Occupation Expenses. We wonder whether anyone reading recently of the claim made by the Government of the United States for the costs of its army of occupation has been inclined to criticise the claimants. of grasping all that could be obtained from the impoverished Allies at a time when they are year, and was given shelter by a very badly off. However, there is good excuse for America's imhave to say is true. We have 18th. recently read a very severe comment, in a sober British journal. on our Government's attitude in this matter, and, if the case From our youth up, we are correctly presented by our con temporary, we have reason to be thankful for America's friendliness and forbearance. It would part, the injunctions have to do appear that the hint thrown out with honesty in our relations by the United States at the time tion for 200 first-class and

of the Armistice that their second-class passengers. Government would not claim reparations has been turned to good account, with the results that our American consins have very nearly "had the dirty played on them." Our own Government is taken to task for being party to South China Defeat Helena this unfair attempt to take advantage of another Power's good nature. In fact, there is more honest to pay a man less than he than a suggestion that the British exchequer has voted sums for our army on the Rhine which, in the provided each man with sufficient to retire 'on." If there has been mishandling of funds, or deliberate waste, the matter should followed up. Perhaps some of air-tight baseball. our new M. P.'s will have a wor. aithful old servant who slaves or two to say about it before long

DAY BY DAY.

HE WHO IS ONLY WISE LIVES N OLOOM.—Politaire.

Dr. Sun Yat-sen has communicated with Mr. C. C. Wu, under :who is now staying in Shanghai. asking him to return to Canton immediately, as his political aid is urgently required.

During the past two days, St. Joseph's... 5 R. G. A. three cases of enteric fever, two Marazion ... 3 Titania of small-pox and one of diphtheria in our minds, but, as a brake to have been noted. One of the sufferers from enteric was a Britisher; all the rest were Chinese.

the Hong Mon disaster.

standing beside the bed with a as his accomplice, ran out of the house without waiting to lay England had a say in the matter, Java-Pacific Line. Bafore going their hands on anything.

Large boulders, set in motion by the loosening of the earth rolled down and fatally crushed three coolies who with others were engaged on the cutting at Coronation Road near the new Mongkok Police Station vesterday. The temains were taken to the Government Civil Hospital.

from the friendly nations who A quarrel amongst the wives in play was very even and Li Wes- afternoon. were associated with us. The a Chinese household is said to tong made the scores one all Australian naval unit was an have induced one of them to take Shortly afterwards. Chan So was 1923, Emerson P. Whaley, late of effective part of our fleet, and arsenic, according to a report re-pulled up for jumping and dan-Anderson, Meyer & Co., Ltd., at gave promise of a future when ceived this morning. The woman is gerous play in the penalty area Shanghai General Hospital, of the bigger colonial possessions the No. 1 wife of a Chinese living and from the spot kick, Forsyth would be able to help the Mother- at No. 157 Laichikok Road. She gave the Club the lead. A dingcountry to bear the burden of was found suffering from arsenic dong struggle ensued and Wong naval armaments. However, a poisoning and was removed to Pak-chong should have scored,

> economy that has afisen from the Regiment, has been transferred to to the Club's third goal, Forsyth score of 319: Craigergower Washington Conference, further the King's Regiment. This officer, landing the ball in the net with knocked up 83 (M.H. Abbas 31). reductions in the British fleet who was latterly serving with one a well-directed shot which gave with P.T. Lamble taking 6 of have been decided on that are of the disbanded battalions of the the goalkeeper no chance. South their wickets for 39. The Civil amounts to this—we are gambling British War Medal and the British China close in, the final whistle through contributions of 89 from friendship with those who, in case Helena during the South Africa of a fast game by three goals Witchell, and 77 from A.E. Wood.

> > Mr. David Z. T. Yui, Nationand then return North.

THE S.S. NILE.

To be Again Placed in Service.

We are informed that At first sight it possibly appeared China Mail Steamship Comto many persons as an instance pany's s.s. China will be laid up in Hongkong harbour, awaiting certain repairs, on her arrival on or about April 11th, and she wil be replaced in the service by the s.s. Nile, sailing from Hongkong patience, if what the Allies' critics at noon on Wednesday, April

> cently had extensive repairs sounded, leaving the King's winmade in the engine room, is now in first-class shape to go back in to nil. the trans-Pacific service, All passenger bookings made on the s.s. China will be transferred to the Nile, which has accommoda-

BASEBALL.

"An interesting baseball match between the South China Athletic Club and the U.S.S. Helenz took place at Happy Valley on Saturday afternoon. The Helena is words of one critic, "could have one of the best naval teams seen

favour of South China.

LOCAL FOOTBALL.

Saturday's Matches.

(BY "QUIZ.") Saturday's games resulted as

... 3 South China ... 1 Titadia League: Division II.

League: Division I.

Club v South China.

turning out for the first time and the next morning when the The King, at an Investiture at since the Interport game. They cabin boy came in he found him Buckingham Palace, on Feb. 15, also had the assistance of W. on the floor unconscious. Captain presented to Captain Evans, R.N. Stewart in the forward line, a Van Ronkel was taken to the the Board of Trade Silver Medal player who should do well in French Pospital at once. He for Gallantry in Saving Life at Hongkong football. South China remained in a semi-conscious con-Sea. This was in connection with forwards, although speedy, did wition until Sunday afternoon, non-show up well in front of goal when he passed away. Waking up to find a man penalty awarded for hands a widow and grown-up daughter revolver in his hand, a Chinese with his shot and the ball struck much sympathy will be felt in woman yesterday gave the alarm, the crossbar and rebounded into their sad breavement. with the result that the intruder play, J. Stewart clearing. The It is of interest that Captain and another man, who was acting first goal was secured by Stewart, Van Ronkel's ship the Arakan

a goal to nil. . Major G. L. Uliver, Middlesex the Club inside forwards led up for this class of cricket with a "Diehards," took part in the Great China put on pressure but McPhail Service soon got going, and War, winning the 1914 star, the was safe in goal and with South reached its fine total mainly Victory Medal. He served in St. sounded, leaving the Club winners F.C. Fincher, 58 from R.C.

King's v. R.G.A. Australia are no less appreciative al Secretary of the Chinese King's had matters much their hits to his credit, whilst Witchell" Y.M.C.A., arrived in Hongkong own way and beat the R.G.A. by hit nine fours. The Craigenfrom Shanghai yesterday and four clear goals. The King's gower bowling was remarkable met representatives from Swatow, rested several of their regular for the performance by E.W. Canton and Hongkong in con-players in view of the Shield Major, who bowled practically ference. He also addressed a final nex: Saturday, and the throughout; (24 overs, with a large gathering of 600 men last men given a trial made a good five of them maidens), and night at the Chinese Y.M.C.A. show, especially Lord on the left took nine wickets for 103 runs. Auditorium. Mr. Yui, who is wing. The King's got-well away The H. K. C. C. had a day out accompanied by Mr. F. S. Brock- from the start and, after three against the Indian R. C. The man, one of the recretaries of the minutes' play, Lord opened the Club compiled 309 for 8, and National Committee, from Shang- score for them. Although they declared. H. Owen Hughes retired hai, is to visit Canton this week continued to have most of the after hitting up, 108 (fourteen play, the King's failed to add to boundaries), and L. J. Davies had their score before the interval, 72, not out, to his credit (a sixer

> ton ran through from the halfway 7 wickets for 36 runs. fourth goal was the fault of the 42, Tacchi 36, and Cullip 33. R.G.A. goalkeeper, who mis-Hodgson and let the ball bounce over his head into the net. Soon The s.s. Nile, which has re-afterwards the final whistle ners of a poor game by four goals

> > Ambrose v. Titania. Ambrose wound up the season University. with a win over the Titania by a goal to mil and thus secured the runners up position to the King's in the Hongkong and the second string of the In-League. The game was evenly dian R. C. met in an interesting contested, and Hood scored for friendly match, which the LRC. the Ambrose after ten minutes' won by a small margin. Going play. Coysh was very safe in in to bat first, the Indians comgoal for the Ambrose and used piled 86 (E. Moosdeen 39), and the good judgment in running out to H.K.C.C. team, against the bowlpick up and clear. The Titania ing of A. Kitchell (5 for 36) and I. tried hard to level up, but had to retire defeated by a goal to nil.

Marazion v. Titania. The Marazion won, after a fast game, by the odd goal in five. in Hongkong, whilst the South Mason, of the Marazion, put the China has a reputation for good ball through his own goal early in all-round play. Both sides played the game and Pibworth made the home team had an easy win by exceedingly well, showing real scores level. Woodward put the five goals to nil, Rocha and Ogley Marazion ahead before the in- (2) scored before the interval, and The final score was 2 to 1 in terval. Pibworth for the Marazion Hyndman and Botelho in the closand Gale for the Titania scored in ing half,

OBITUARY.

Capt. S. Van Ronkel.

Shipping men throughout the Far East will read with regret of the death of Captain Samuel Van Ronkel, which took place at the French Hospital yesterday after a noon, following a stroke of apoplexy.

Captain Van Ronkel was aboard his ship, the Arakan, of which he has been master some ten years. in Taikoo Dock, and on Friday night he did not come down to dinner. This did not occasion The Club fielded a fairly much surprise, however, as it strong side in this match on the was not unusual. He went Club ground, Forsyth and Begg to bed on Friday night,

and lacked combination. Chan The deceased gentleman was So failed to take advantage of a lonly 48 years of age. He leaves against Bishop, for he was high in San Francisco, with whom

the Club's new man, although was the first vessel to open the for the latter lobbed the ball over on that run Captain Van Fung Tai's head and W. Stewart Roukel was in command of running round the ball took it on ships trading between Java the bounce and, with a first-time and Holland. He was one shot, quite took the goalkeeper of the oldest captains-from by surprise, landing the ball high point of view of service—in the in the net with a rising shot. Rotterdamsche Eloyd, the owners South China were doing most of of the Arakan, and had spent the the attacking, but their forwards greater part of his career in ships could not score, and the interval running between Europe and

arrived with the Club leading by America and the East. The funeral will pass the After the change of ends, the Monument at four o'clock this

SATURDAY'S CRICKET.

League Matches.

There was a very interesting but, with only McPhail to beat, match on Saturday, when the he lifted the ball wide of the 'up- | Civil Service C.C., playing against right. Very nest combination by Craigengower, compiled a record Fincher's total included two sixers and eighteen fours, Wood On the Garrison ground, the had a six and fourteen boundary

and the teams crossed over with and twelve fours). The Indians the King's leading by a goal to could only reach 94 (D. Rumjahn 31 and 0. Ismail 33), with Owen Early in the second half, New- Hughes again to the fore, taking

line and ended up by beating The Police lost to the Civil Phillips in the R.G.A. goal. The Service C. C. second eleven. The R.G.A. then had a look in, but losers compiled 54; R. Taylor the sound defensive play by the taking 8 of their wickets for 16. King's middle line prevented any a truly fine performance. The score. Robinson score the third C. S. C. C. men then had things goal for the King's, receiving the much their own way, compiling ball from Martin and beating 175 with 8 wickets down, to which Phillips from close range. The total H. Sandford contributed

The K.C.C. second string went judged a high dropping shot from down to the University seconds at Kowloon by a big margin. The University scored 112. C. A. Paterson being highest with 26, and W. L. Weaser taking 4 of their wickets for 20. The Kowloon men, with a very bad collapse, only reached 62, to which H. H. Benson contributed 25. Yeow On the Navy "A" ground, the Tuck-on took 4 for 18 for the

Friendly Match.

The H.K.C.C. second eleven Hassan (4 for 33) scored only 69.

the second half, and the Marazion

St. Joseph's v. R.G.A.

On the St. Joseph's ground, the

GOVERNMENT SERVANT SUED.

Quibble Over Fifteen Dollars.

Ltd., of Des Voeux Road Central, the premier fleet in commission. brought an action against Mr. W. E. Hollands, land bailiff of the District Land Office, in the Summary Court, before Mr. Justice Gompertz this morning, claiming \$31.90, being as to \$16.90 balance of the price for hire of motorcars between January and May, 1932, and to the sum of \$15 agreed costs to be paid by defendant in connection with an arrangement to enable him to pay the claim by instalments, part of which arrangement defendant had failed to perform.

Mr. Bennett represented plaintiffs and the defence was conducted by Mr. C. H. Lyson.

"Mr. Bennett said the claim of \$16.90 had been paid by defendant. The amount remaining in dispute instalments. On June 15th, defence organisations. outstanding. Defendant replied that he would pay if plaintiffs could produce the chits. To this plaintiffs' solicitors repled that they would show defendant the chits and would hand them, over against payment. On June 24th., defendant apparently approached Mr. Curreem, a clerk in the employ of Messes. Deacon, tors' office and asked how much was owing and whether plaintiffs being paid by instalments. Plaintiffs agreed to accept \$10 a month and solicitors' costs. Defendant paid four instalments, on July 11th., August 10th., September 26th, and the last on October 21st. After that date the instal ments ceased. On Feb. 15th., 1923, plaintiffs' solicitors wrote to defendant calling upon him to pay the balance and the \$15 costs.

had never agreed to pay \$15 costs. Mr. Lyson submitted that they were party-party costs and not solicitor-and-client costs. Mr. Curreem acted as a volunteer, and defendant had never asked! him to instruct anybody.

His Honour:-Have you paid Sheuton's costs?

Mr. Lyson replied that no de- and 40 injured. mand had ever been made.

Defendant, in the box, said he paid the instalments to Mr. Curreem, sometimes in the street and sometimes in the King "Edward Hotel. Mr. Curreem was acting for him not as an agent but as a friend.

If a man had a debt and he showed the letter of demand to a friend who was a solicitors' clerk and he said that he would fix it up, the Puisne Judge could not help thinking that he was acting as agent. He was of the opinion that a man would be bound by what his partner did. However, his Honour wished to look into morning.

JAPANESE STEAMER STRANDED.

Keigi Maru in Danger of Sinking.

The Manita Daily Bulletin of last Saturday, March 24th, re-

ports:-The Japanese steamer Keigi Maru, aground on Black Point in the Sulu sea, off the island of Palawan, since Wednesday. (March 21st.) is in imminent danger of sinking and the crew have decided to abandon her

unless help is forthcoming soon.

The Keigi Maru has a registered tonnage of 3,173. She is under the command of Captain Yamanaka. She arrived Manila on March 6 coming from Japan with a cargo of coal for Madrigal and Company. She was cleared on March 20 en route to Fremantle.

TYPHOON WARNING.

The telegram quoted below was } Saturday's answer: received by the American If a trunk weighs 10 pounds, tion. Consulate-General, Hongkong, and half its own weight, its The from the Manila Observatory at | weight must be 20 pounds, 10 1 p.m. to-day :- Typhoon in about pounds being half its weight. 144 deg. Long. E., 13 deg. Lat. E., Therefore, a trunk and a half will moving N.N.W.

EARLIER TELEGRAMS.

BRITAIN'S NAVAL DEFENCE.

Malta, March 24. Naval opinion here is that there can be no doubt that the Mediterranean fleet will be shortly restored to the position it held until The United Motor Company, the balance of naval power was shifted to the North Sea, and become

> It is asserted that only a comparatively small fleet will be maintained in home waters, most of the warships in commission there being transferred to the Mediterranean.

London, March 24. Mr. Amery, in a speech at Birmingham, dealing with the drastic naval reductions, said the British fleet was still larger than the Japanese, but until we had oil storage all the way to the Far East, and bases in the Far East, we would be quite incapable of conveying a fleet to Eastern waters which would be a match for the Japanese. Britain

relied upon the friendship of her old Allies. Sydney, March 24. A Melbourne paper says that the Defence Council has decided that the construction of Australian naval bases in accordance with the Henderson scheme should not be carried out, owing to the Admiralty's plans for a big base at Singapore.

GERMAN MONARCHIST PLOTS.

Berlin, March 24. The story of a planned reactionary rising is partially confirmed was the \$15 costs defendant by a speech by the Prussian Minister for the Interior, Herr Severing, had agreed to pay, plaintiffs in the Landtag, according to which the recently arrested Monarchist agreeing not to issue a writ Deputy, Rossbach, informed his fellow corspirators that the rising if defendant would pay \$10 would occur on 31st. March, the day fixed for the dissolution of all self-

plaintiffs' solicitors sent the ... Herr Severing referred to the dangerous character of Marshal usual demand to defendant Ludendorff, amongst others, and said that if the "so-called selffor \$53.40 which was the balance defence organisations maintained their present activities, and were opposed by the workmen's battalions, the inevitable result would be civil war. He had the impression that the moment was not far distant.

It is rumoured that a reactionary coup d'état in Bavaria is imminent. The Prussian Government has instructed all provincial governors to keep the police in readiness for immediate action.

THE RUHR OCCUPATION: .

Duesseldorf, March 24. Thirteen hundred tons of industrial tools and machinery, valued Harston and Shenton. Mr. at 5,000,000 francs, have been seized in accordance with the decree Curreem went to-plaintiffs' solici- of the Inter-Ailied High Commission, whereby all machinery and other objects in the occupied territory belonging to the German Government may be seized and earmarked for restitution in conformity with the would consent to the account. Tresty of Versailles. It is stated that further similar seizures are contemplated.

> Brussels, March 24. The 10 per cent, ad valorem duty levied on German imports from the occupied territory into Germany has been cancelled and the German

THE WHITE SLAVE TRAFFIC.

Geneva, March 21. The Commission on the repression of the White Slave Traffic has appointed a sub-committee, including representatives of the United The defence was that defendant | States, Italy, Japan and Uruguay, to collaborate with the International Labour Office to ensure the protection of women emigrants. The speakers" emphasised the importance of developing world-wide work by voluntary associations.

CEYLON RAILWAY DISASTERS.

Colombo, March 24.

Following recent train disasters cwing to floods and washaways, Messrs. Deacon, Harston and there has been another serious smash. A Ceylon Government Railway light engine collided with a mail train in a tunnel. Four were killed

INTERNATIONAL ECONOMICS.

Rome; March 24.

The Congress of the International Chamber of Commerce has ununimously passed the proposal arging an economic conference to discuss reparations, inter-Allied debts, exchange, etc.

JAPAN AND CANADA.

Ottawa, March 24. Premier King has informed Parliament that negotiations have been begun with a view to amending the Canadian Immigration Treaty

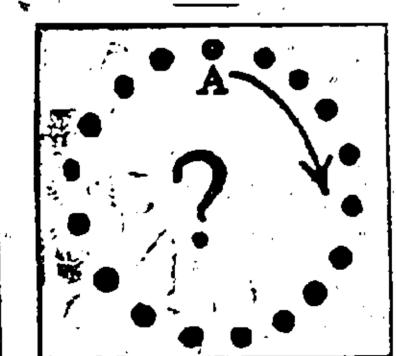
THE SOVIETS AND THE CHURCH.

London, March 4. The trial of Archbishop Czepliak, two Bishops and other Catholic the point and he intimated that priests has opened at Moscow. The charge is resisting the Soviets' he would give judgment to-morrow | decrees disestablishing the Church and confiscating the funds.

"THE GRAND SARAH" SERIOUSLY ILL.

Paris, March 25. Sarah Bernhardt, the great actress, is gravely ill and six doctors are held in consultation.

A PUZZLE A DAY.



In an "open shop," 18 men were employed. Half of them belonged to the union. It was necessary to lay off half the force. The foreman, who belonged to the union, lined the men in a circle, as shown in the diagram, and began counting around the circle from A. Every time he counted to five, the man was discharged, and told to leave the circle. How did he arrange the circle so that every fifth man was a non-union-

weigh 30 pounds.

ATTEMPTED ROBBERY SEQUEL.

Captured Man Succumbs.

The sensational attempt made

by a gang of armed robbers to hold-up a Californian Chinese merchant in his room at a boarding house on the Central Praya during Race Week is recalled by the news that the man who was wounded and arrested after the long chase that followed the attempt, died on Saturday night at the Government Civil Hospital, where he had been lying for nearly a month. His identity is said to have been established in the report that he was a native of Hoiping, and had alternately been brigand and soldier in Kwangtung. When secured after the pursuit he had a revolver in his hand, the cartridges of which had all been expended on his pursuers, and he himself sustained no fewer than six wounds. Another man arrested in the

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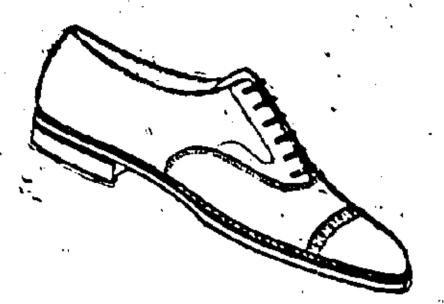
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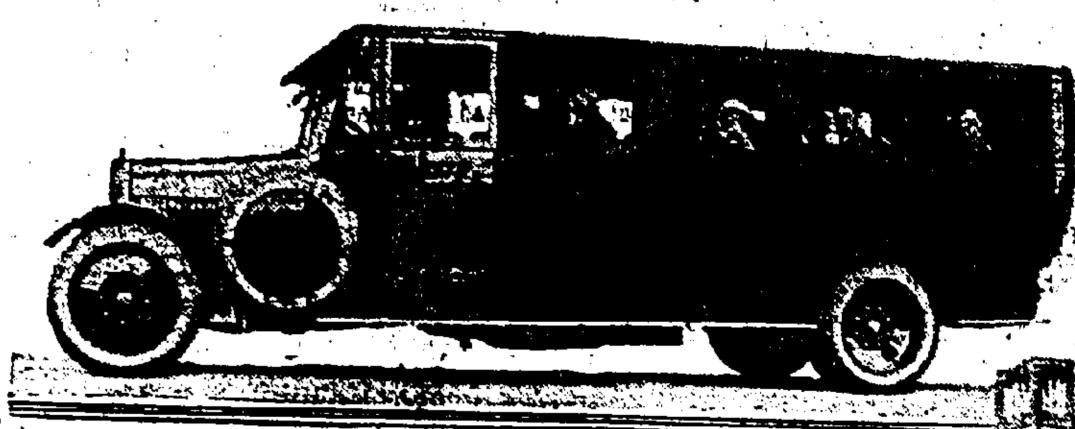
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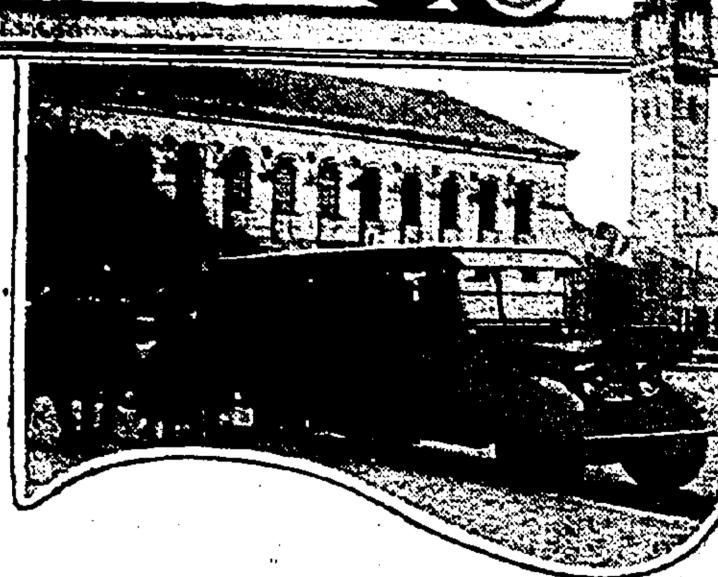
CAMERA NEWS.



Bombs would seem to be getting an everyday affair in London judging from this Walthamstow Council order which instructs householders not to put their bombs in the garbage buckets but to turn them over to the police.



These fine motor buses are in use by tourists, running from Boston to Montreal.





After 14 had been killed and 50 wounded in a pitched in Mexico City between striking and non-striking employees of the street car lines, the strikers shown here were seized and marched to police stations by guards of police and Mexican soldiers.



Scenes in the pageant being held to celebrate the discovery of Florida by Ponce de Leon in 1512,



These golfers in the snow at the Westchester Biltmore Country Club, Rye, have attached balloons to their golf balls so they can tell where the balls



This group of winter holiday makers appears to enjoy the sunshine of Florida.

The following local shipping and mail intelligence has been corrected to neon to-day :--

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It would pay an expert coiner charge. So far as he knew he did on his insisting I took his advice.

Discharge Granted.

he told the Court, as a timber | pale people have done for me." merchant. In 1916 he sustained i losses due to a heavy fall in plates, in which he had been fitted glasses is a powerful factor speculating. A petition was filed in making you feel young, against him in September, 1916, perfect. Fully fifty per cent. of met and agreed to accept a further the people who do not wear ten per cent in order to allow his

The Chief Justice: What was paid before?

The Official Receiver: Purely a nominal sum—a very few dollars. Hardly one per cent. The Chief Justice: Ten per cent

The Official Receiver: 101 or happened before my day. I suppose curately. Pasting the night and 103. Debtor has been quite satis-Atting glasses is their exclusive factory and I believe him to be it.

A TELEGRAPHIST'S DILEMMA.

The work of a telegraphist is In the Bankruptcy Court, before, often very trying to the nerves,

"My work, which entails much during the past month. The police were no objection on the part of the ling that was not sleepiness for I. authorities have traced their creditors. Mr. d'Almada, however. could not enjoy a good sleep. My I nerves were unstrung, I was irritin His Lordship asked whether any able and felt weak and miserable. counterfeiting the coins in advantage would be gained by All enjoyment seemed to be gone

from my life. "My brother-in-law, Mr. T. D. like the genuine ones that even be believed efforts would be made Paul; who had himself been cured the authorities concerned find it to come to some arrangement. Mr. by Dr. Williams' pink pills, redifficult, it is said, to detect them. F. G. Vaux represented one of the commended me to try that medi-They are composed of an alloy creditors. The claims would be cine. I felt reluctant to do so, for of lead and nickel with a cleverly pressed if the case was withdrawn constant failures had made me from his (the Official Receiver's) despair of being cured. However,

to strike 50-sen pieces of the not think there was any serious oh . "My scepticism soon turned to present size in silver, and that jection to the case being adjourned. belief for almost from the first would make them more difficult The liabilities, so far as he knew, bottle of Dr. Williams' pink pills I Times is so convinced by its own amounted to about \$467,000. He noticed an improvement in my Japan still to detect. The had been told by Mr. Vaux that his health. And as I continued with argument that counterfeiting in claim amounted to over \$1,000,000. I their use I shook off the nervous Japan is merely the joyful and His Lordship adjourned the ap disorder, and what had been an innocent following of a fashion plication until next bankruptcy day, ever-present headache vanished. Now I eat well, sleep well and Kan Yin-chan, of the Wing work well. From a sick bed back the Shing Cheong, applied for his dis. to health and strength-that is genius for imitation. Japan charge. He did business formerly, what Dr. Williams pink pills for

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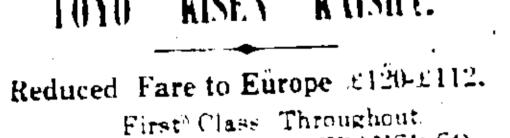
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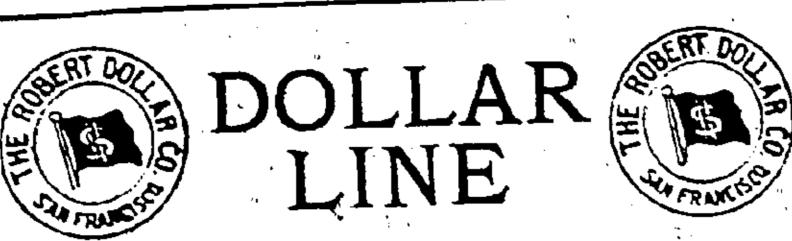
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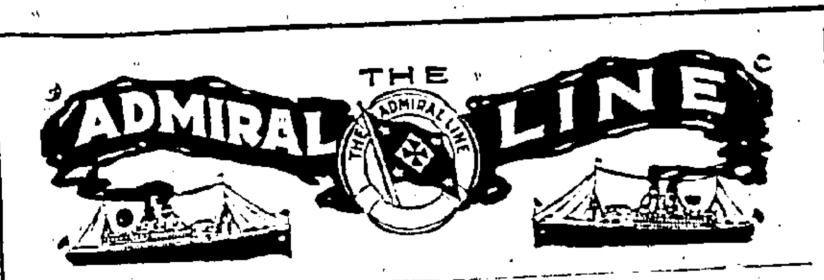
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RIOT AT SHAW PLAY IN PRAGUE.

Students Object to "Arms and the Man."

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For days the Czech Press have been agitating fiercely against the comedy, which, it is held. ridicules the Balkan soldiers. Servian students attended in

force, and continually interrupted the performance. The rioters were finally ejected by the police, but the performance

was stopped. "Arms and the Man." first produced at the Avenue Theatre in 1894, was revived in 1907, 1911 and 1919. It ranks high among Mr. Shaw's more light-hearted achievements.

Captain Bluntschli the "Chocola'e Soldier," parodied in the musical comedy of the name, has doubtless proved the chief cause of offence to the Servian students. Some years ago, after only two performances, another play by

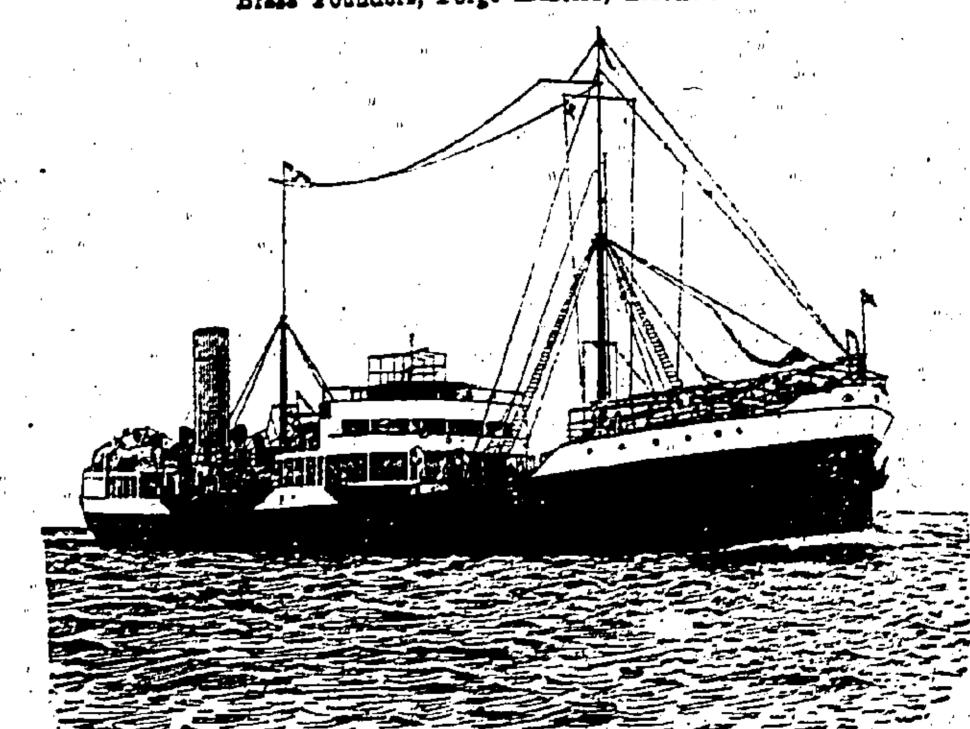
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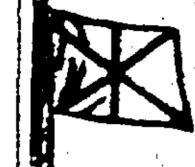
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HONGKONG & CANTON.

The Whampoa Port Scheme.

The Canton vernacular papers, this scheme in order to facilitate thinks fit. the connection with the Kowloon-Canton Railway with the Canton-Hankow line.

A Canton correspondent says that Dr. Sun has sent his son and two officials to Hongkong with autograph letters requesting prominent merchants to attend a finance conference in Canton.

With regard to Canton's finhas again suggested to Dr. Sun that the militarists be ordered to collecting bureaux, or else that all military payments be in future made from military headquarters. Failing compliance with these suggestions, the Treasurer says he will resign.

FOUR YEARS' SENTENCE ON WOULD-BE M.P.

George Augustine Jennings. unsuccessful candidate for North |Paddington at the General Election, was recently sentenced to four years' penal servitude at the Old Bailey for cheque frauds,

Austin Dockney, 28, and Frank James Castell, 26, charged jointly with Jennings, were sentenced to six months' hard labour and 10 months' in the second division respectively.

"Passing sentence the Recorder, Sir Ernest Wild, said Jennings might have thought that if he succeeded in getting into Parliament the party funds might have got him out of his trouble. Such things had been heard of.

again. He came to Paddington as a more adventurer, with no meney. Several previous convictions were recorded against Jenniugs.

MR. LEE HY-SAN.

Big Charitable Gift to Macao.

Mr. Lee Hy-san, the Macao! "G. K. C.'s Weekly" is to be in recent comment, point out opium monopolist, who is well- the title of a new sixpenny review that as the Hongkong Govern-known in Hongkong for his which, if sufficient support is ment has changed its attitude numerous benefactions, has, we forthcoming-£10,000 being retowards Dr. Sun, the latter learn, just made a gift quired as working capital—will TO-DAY at 2.30, 5.15, 7.15 & 9.15 should revive his scheme for of \$90,000 to the Santa Caza da be started probably in the course the development of a port Misericordia of Macao, which of the spring. It is felt that the at Whampon. They add that sum is to be devoted by this time has arrived to appeal more the Government would no doubt benevolent institution to charit- directly to a wider public than render financial assistance to able purposes in any manner it that which is reached by "The

PARTED AT CHURCH DOOR. seldom seen him since the convenient and popular way of wedding, but who required an stating its identification with order for maintenance, came those propositions in support of before the Preston magistrates. the nation, the family, and the She gave the name of Emily guild which are associated with ances, the Provincial Treasurer Spearitt, and explained to the the name of Mr. G. K. Chesterton, Bench that after the wedding she by whom it will be edited. A and the bridegroom went to the definite democratic programme

WEATHER REPORT.

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Shanghai, Japan, Hopolulu, Canada, U.S.A., C. & S. America & Europe via San Francisco Letters (Due S. Francisco 20th April) Soshu'M.Thurs., 29 inst., 8 a.m. Swatow, Amoy & Takao

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Straits, Ceylon, Mauritine, L. Marques, H. Africa, India via Dhanuskhodi, Bombay & Aden ... Ballerophon Bat., 31 inst., 9 a.m. "G. K. C.'s WEEKLY."

Mr. Chesterton On His New Paper.

New Witness," which it is intended the new paper shall replace, and the title has been chosen after the precedent of A girl-wife who had never "T. P.'s Weekly" and "John o' lived with her husband, who had London's Weekly" as the most

give up control of the revenue- homes of their respective parents, and a deliberate popular appeal are amongst its aims, and special features will be an arena of debate open to the critics of the paper's policy, and a running commentary on all the events,

> Mr. Chasterton, who was ed slightly at other reporting a representative of The Concreer said: "I myself bave accepted The anticyclone is central near with a reluctance verging on rage the idea of calling A severe typhoon is shown a the new paper G. K. C.'s Weekly. few miles to the S.W. of Guam. I have been very much against It is probably moving northward, it all the time because I think Hongkong Rainfall for the 24 it looks like great egotism. But, hours ending at 10 a.m. to-day. as a matter of fact, it is not. 0.00 inch. Total since January The reason I have yielded to the lst. 1.18 inches, against an proposal is that it is very difficult to get a name that at all expresses CORECAST FOR THE 24 HOURS what we want to maintain in ENDING AT NOON TO-MORROW. this paper. It is not anything covered by any of the current party names, or even the most general names, like Liberal, Labour, or Socialist. As a matter of fact, Mr. Belloc and I are the only persons at all known who maintain the view for which the new paper is to stand.

> > THE CHESTER-BELLOC VIEW. "It is what Mr. Bernard Shaw

called 'the Chester-Belloc view.' We think that the modern evil is monopoly. Our objection to Eccialism is that it is really only the culmination of Capitalism, and our objection to Capitalism is that it is likely to turn into Socialism, because what they have in common is that they both make wealth impersonal and centralis-Now it does not seem to me to matter much whether in practice all the land or all trade is owned by a ring of millionaires who are called private industry though they are really a monopoly, or by a ring of officials who are called government or Socialism, though they are really oligarchy. The point is that both forms in the modern world. and particularly the industrial world, tend to keep power in the centre, because either in the form of Socialist officials, as in! Bolshevik Russia, or in the form of trust magnates, as in industrial America, for instance, a few men do in practice not only rule [] but own the lives of all other people: they own the things they eat and drink, as well as the machinery they use, and they pay them a wage. "Our cure for this evil of

monopoly is a reversal of the whole procedure, and an attempt to scatter private property again. A first class Hotel centrally located in the shopping and business districts, large and to create as many small and airy rooms, completely renovated and refurnished. Dining Room and Lounge to scatter private property again, owners as possible. There is no organ in the Press that stands for that view at all. There are Socialist papers that stand, as we should say, for bureaucracy, and the ordinary capitalist papers that stand for big business, or, in other words for monopoly. But there is no one saying, I am on the side of the independent shopkeeper against the stores, or 'I am on the side of the smal farmer against the landlord or the County Council, or anyone else who wants to unify the whole system. This is a view with which you may agree or disagree. To begin with they operate in language and stand that all of them are bad.

"To begin with they operate in language and stand that all of them are bad."—Ex. You may think it desirable or undesirable; or, as is more likely m. to be the case with most people |you may think it possible or impossible. But considering that that Registration 8 45 a.m. form of well-distributed property exists already over an enormous part of the world-over all peas-... Wed., 28 inst., 10,30 a.m. ant countries, for instance—and has existed for all periods of the world's history, it seems extraordinary that there is no organ of Registration . 5 pm opinion to express it at all, and 5 p.m | all the more because it is the most same and simple and ordinary of all human ideals. There Haifoong Fri., 30 inst., 9 a.m. nothing particularly faddist about saying that a field should be of reasonable size, or that the Mingsang ... Fri., 30 inst., 9 a.m. family farm should belong to the

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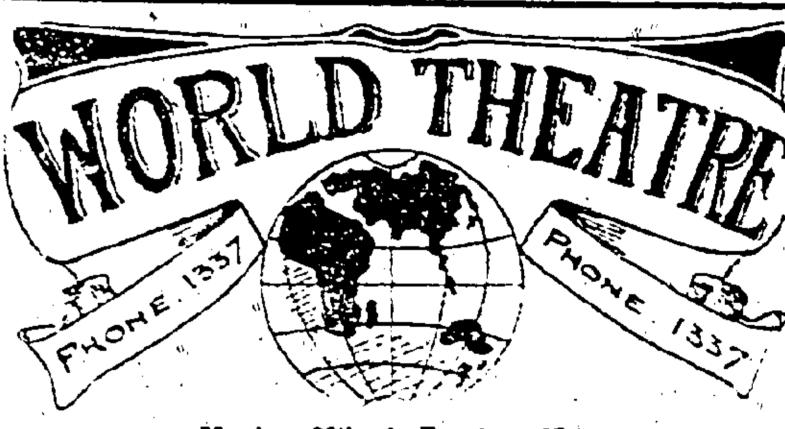
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"To begin with, they operate badly economically, in making everyone merely wage-earners and practically wage-slaves, so that they have no property of their own and no real status. They operate badly in domestic politics by becoming the backers of politicians and contributing to secret funds, and thus exercise a secret power in government. And lastly,

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The following passengers have booked for Hongkong by the N. Y. K. s.s. HAKOZAKI MARU scheduled to leave London on they operate badly in foreign February 17th:-Mr. F. Baker. politics, because they are part of Mr. D.J. Grant, Miss E. R. M. that cosmopolitan finance which Hart, Mr. & Mrs. H. P. Hoskin. is the most irresponsible, the Miss P. M. Hoskin, Mr. G. A. most soulless, of all the enemies I Lawrence, Mrs. Wolfer.

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